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Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith is an assignment transferring ownership rights in the above-identified patent application Serial No. 10/707,425 filed December 12, 2003, for an "COLOR CORRECTED LASER ILLUMINATION SYSTEM FOR NIGHT VISION APPLICATIONS", from the Ford Motor Company to Ford Global Technologies, LLC, which is a fully owned subsidiary of Ford Motor Company.

The Ford Global Technologies and the Lear Corporation (hereinafter Ford and Lear), represent that they are the owners of the full (100%) and exclusive rights, title, and interest in the above-identified patent application Serial No. 10/707,425 filed December 12, 2003, for an "COLOR CORRECTED LASER ILLUMINATION SYSTEM FOR NIGHT VISION APPLICATIONS",

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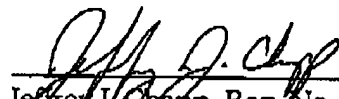
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The undersigned is an attorney of record.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the terminal disclaimer fee of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-1510 in the name of Ford Global Technologies.

Respectfully submitted,

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